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School To Open August 22

The Hedley schools will begin the new term on Monday, Aug. 22.

The teachers will have in-service days on Aug. 19 and 20.

Field Day

The 68th annual Field Day at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station will be on Tuesday, Sept. 13, beginning at 1 p. m. Several other agencies will cooperate.

Highlights will include soil-plant-water relationships, cotton varieties, breeding and culture, weed control, sorghum research, fertilizers and water conservation.

Displays and exhibits will also be featured for public viewing.

Mrs. Ann Res Humblin is seriously ill in the Memphis hospital.

Cheddar Cheese

Cheddar cheese and the products made from it are economical sources of protein, calcium, riboflavin and Vitamin A, says Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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Leslie C. Tims

Funeral services for Leslie C. Tims, 75, of Claude, who passed away Friday in Spearman, were held Saturday in the First Baptist Church at Claude by Rev. Debbert Serratt. Burial was in the Claude cemetery.

Mr. Tims was born Jan. 26, 1902, in Mississippi. He came to Donley County in 1908 and married Nellie Ruth Perdue on Oct. 14, 1923, in Claraboot. He moved to Claude in 1962.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Velma Williamson of Spearman; two sons, Dan of Claude and Clyde of Stratford; two sisters, Mrs. M. L. Sims of Hedley and Mrs. Erva Hogan of Nabua, N. Hamp.; two brothers, W. G. Tims of Claraboot and Alfred Tims of Chickasha, Okla.; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Messer Honored

Doyle Messer, Vocational Agriculture teacher of Hedley, was recently presented the Distinguished Service Award and a 30 year lapel pin by Dick Vestal of Baird, president of the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Assn. of Texas.

The award was presented at the Annual Awards Program for his outstanding service to Vocational Agriculture in Texas.

Mrs. Gertrude Boatright was in the Memphis hospital last week.

Grocery Open Again

Everyone in Hedley is rejoicing that Jack and Jackie Stafford have reopened the Stafford Grocery. The store has been completely cleaned and repainted and new carpet laid, and is looking very nice.

They have received a great deal of merchandise, but have not had enough time to completely restock on everything. More goods are coming in all the time, and they will soon have the stock up to par.

We have all learned recently how much the grocery means to us, and we are all very happy that the Staffords are back in business.

Check Received

The Hedley Fire Dept. has received a check for \$75 from the Farm Bureau for their good work at the recent fire at the John Faris farm.

Visiting in the Claraboot Welch home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huckaby and daughter Lisa and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Briggs of Beaumont, Mrs. Bill Fubb of Halls, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roy of Sweetwater, Tex., and C. J. Welch of Canyon.

Public Warned

The Social Security Administration District Office in Amarillo has received reports from the public that they are being contacted by a man who is falsely representing himself as an employee of the Social Security Administration, reports Jim Talbot, District Manager. "He uses the guise of one of our employees and tells the people that if they are receiving Supplemental Security Income, they are now required to pay eight dollars a month just to receive SSI," says Talbot. "Those who are on SSI are in no way obligated to pay a fee for receiving their benefits."

Fire Danger

Austin—Because of the very dry conditions of rangeland in several parts of the state, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown warns summer travelers and campers that carelessness could easily trigger costly and dangerous range fires.

Mrs. Mabel E. Jones

Funeral services for Mrs. Mabel Edith Jones, 84 a long time Hedleyan who passed away last Thursday night in the Memphis hospital were held Saturday in the Methodist Church here by Rev. Robert Brown and Rev. Paul Hancock. Eastern Star graveside services and burial were at the Claraboot cemetery under direction of Spider Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jones, the former Mabel Edith Neely, was born in Ellis County and had lived in Hedley for 66 years. She was married to William Henry Jones in 1916 at Hedley. She taught school at Giles and Hedley for a number of years before becoming postmaster here, in which position she stayed for 26 years.

Survivors include her husband; two granddaughters, Mrs. Vard Grafton and Miss Terrie Jones, both of Houston; a sister, Mrs. Lucille Nash of Amarillo; and two great-grandchildren.

School Lunchroom Menu

Mon., Aug. 22, chicken salad on lettuce leaf, English peas and potatoes, pears, bread, milk, cranberry juice.

Tues., Aug. 23, fish tartar sauce, hot rolls, butter, corn, cookies, milk.

Wed., Aug. 24, pizza, beef, tomatoes and macaroni, spinach, relish, corn bread, milk.

Thurs., Aug. 25, turkey, cheddar cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, buttered rice, orange juice, milk.

Fri., Aug. 26, hamburger, french fries, onions, pickles, fruit jelly, milk.

Mrs. Lela Moffitt has been quite ill in the Groom hospital.

Social Security

A Social Security petition will be the court house in Claraboot from 9:15 to 12:00 every Thursday in August.

He will also be at the City Halling Authority in Memphis from 9:00 to 11:30 every Tuesday in August.

Brown said that vast areas of valuable rangeland could be turned into wasteland "in a matter of minutes" by cigarettes or matches thoughtlessly thrown from vehicles or by unattended campfires.

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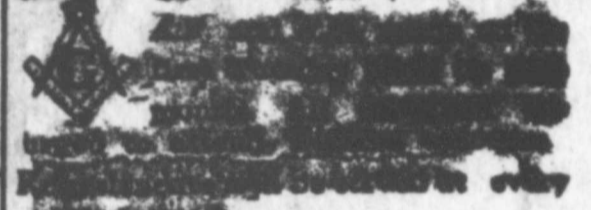
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Please check with Jack Stafford about where to get your chickens and where to have them!

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